

**FUJITSU PATENT CENTER**  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**Title:** OPTICAL REGENERATOR IN OPTICAL FIBER COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 6, 2009, whose period for response is hereby petitioned for extension by three (3) months to July 6, 2009, in view of the following remarks, kindly reconsider and further examine the application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.